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C O R R E C T E D C O P Y (ADD PARA 1)

ADDRESSEES PASS TO DAVID AARON, DEPUTY NATIONAL
SECURITY ADVISER TO THE PRESIDENT

EO 11652: GDS
TAGS: OVIP (AARON, DAVID), FR
SUBJECT: MONDALE VISIT: YOUR SCHEDULE IN PARIS

1. MONTBRIAL, DIRECTOR OF QUAI PLANNING STAFF, HAS PASSED VIA HIS DEPUTY TO EMBASSY OFFICER FOLLOWING SUGGESTIONS RE THE MEETING YOU DISCUSSED WITH HIM BY TELEPHONE.
2. MONTBRIAL WOULD BE DELIGHTED TO SEE YOU AT THE QUAI FROM 5:30 P.M. TO 7:00 P.M. FRIDAY, JANUARY 28, OR, ALTERNATIVELY, FROM 9:00 A.M. TO 10:30 A.M. ON SATURDAY MORNING, JANUARY 29. SHOULD YOU POSSIBLY BE FREE FOR DINNER FRIDAY NIGHT, MONTBRIAL WOULD BE PLEASED TO HOST A SMALL DINNER FOR YOU, BUT HE UNDERSTANDS THAT YOUR SCHEDULE MAY PRECLUDE SUCH.

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3. IN REFERENCE TO YOUR DESIRE TO MEET WITH FRANCOIS-PONCET, MONTBRIAL HAS PASSED THE MESSAGE TO THE ELYSEE. HOWEVER, FRANCOIS-PONCET IS CURRENTLY IN SAUDI ARABIA WITH PRESIDENT GISCARD AND THUS THEY HAVE NO SUGGESTIONS AS TO MEETING TIMES. MONTBRIAL IS UNCLEAR AS TO WHETHER YOU WANT TO MEET WITH HIM AND FRANCOIS-PONCET JOINTLY, OR HOLD TWO SEPARATE SESSIONS. MONTBRIAL'S

STAFF EXPECTS THE ELYSEE TO CONTACT THE EMBASSY ON THIS
TOMORROW FOLLOWING FRANCOIS-PONCET'S RETURN TO PARIS.

4. MONTBRIAL'S DEPUTY, JEAN-LOUIS GERGORIN, TOLD
EMBASSY OFFICER TODAY THAT MONTBRIAL FORESEES THREE
PARTICULAR TOPICS FOR DISCUSSION:

- A. GENERAL ISSUES RELATED TO NUCLEAR FORCES;
- B. NONPROLIFERATION; AND
- C. ECONOMIC ISSUES.

GERGORIN SAID THAT IF TIME PERMITS, OTHER AREAS
(UNSPECIFIED) COULD BE ADDED.

5. PLEASE ADVISE ON YOUR DESIRES RE SCHEDULING OF
MEETINGS. WE PROPOSE THAT JOHN KELLY, THE EMBASSY
POLITICO-MILITARY AFFAIRS OFFICER WHO DISCUSSED YOUR
SCHEDULE TODAY WITH GERGORIN, AND IS HIS REGULAR
CONTACT, SERVE AS NOTE TAKER AT YOUR MEETING WITH
MONTBRIAL, IN WHICH GERGORIN WILL PARTICIPATE.
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